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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments and comments into the file of the above-identified patent application, in response to the Final Office Action dated August 15, 2003 (Paper No. 10). This Amendment is accompanied by: (1) a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and the corresponding fee (\$385.00); and (2) a petition for a 2-month extension of time for response and the corresponding fee (\$210.00).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.